



2015 Spirit of the Jerseys



# State History Fair

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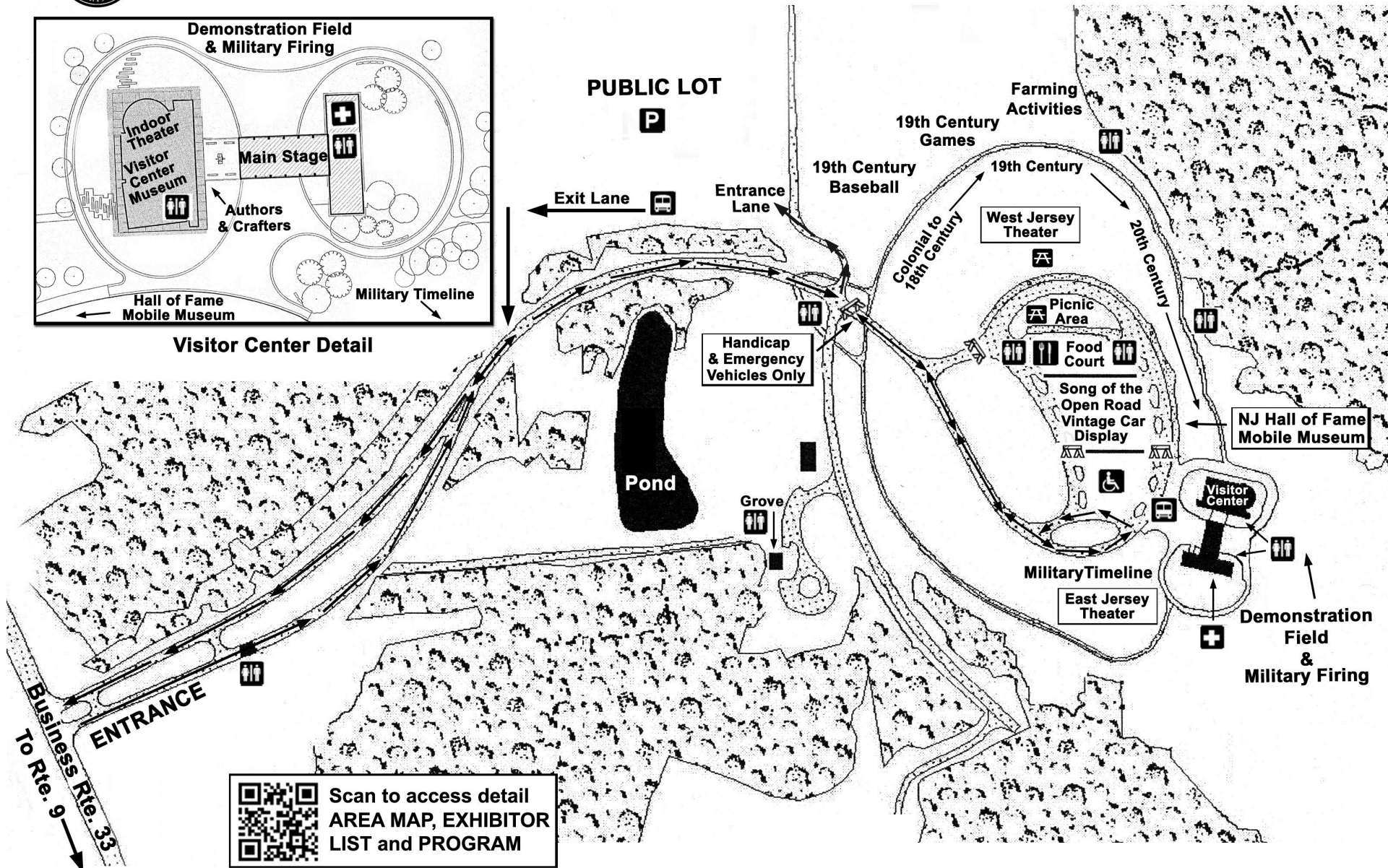
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Handicap Parking  
 Parking

First Aid  
 Restroom/Port-A-John

Food Vendor  
 Shuttle Stop

Picnic Area  
 Barricade



Start Time	Visitor Center Auditorium	Main Stage (Next to Visitor Center)	West Jersey Theater (17th-20th c. Area )	East Jersey Theater (Military Area)	Demonstration Field & Military Firing	Games/Farming Field
11:00	<i>Song of The Open Road</i> Featuring Walt Whitman & The Bruce Brunch	Frank Sinatra	Mrs. Catherine van Burgh Tennent			All Day: 19th-century Rules Baseball games Flemington Neshanocks, Elizabeth Resolutes & Hoboken Nine in rotating play; Farm Activities & Demos including 2-horse field plowing, seed sowing, corn-shelling, sheep shearing, rug hooking. All Day!
11:30		CHARLIE ZAHM Civil War Musician	Jonathan & Sarah Edwards	George Washington	Revolutionary War Infantry Demo	
12:00	RICH PAWLING CCC History	Flag Raising Ceremony Featuring the 63rd National Guard Band	Benjamin Franklin		Revolutionary War Artillery Demo	
12:30			ABRAHAM LINCOLN	Molly Pitcher	BRAVO Hands-on Metal Detecting	
1:00	History Day Winners Presentations	Frank Sinatra	William Franklin	LEVRAM THE GREAT Colonial Magician		
1:30			Benjamin & William Franklin	Martha Washington	Civil War Artillery Demo	
2:00	Emily Roebling Brooklyn Bridge Engineer		Mrs. Catherine van Burgh Tennent	U.S. Grant	Civil War Infantry Demo	
2:30		Frank Sinatra	George Washington	Clara Barton American Red Cross Founder	Molly Pitcher	
3:00	History Day Winners Presentations	63rd National Guard Band	Walt Whitman	ABRAHAM LINCOLN	BRAVO Hands-on Metal Detecting	
3:30			LEVRAM THE GREAT Colonial Magician	CHARLIE ZAHM Civil War Musician		
4:00			Emily Roebling Brooklyn Bridge Engineer	Clara Barton American Red Cross Founder	9th Division WW II Rifle Grenade Demo	
4:30			U.S Grant	Martha Washington		

# Thank You!

The **Spirit of the Jerseys State History Fair** would not be possible without the support and assistance of many individuals and organizations. We would like to acknowledge and thank the following organizations for their generous support of our history fair programming as well as over 800 volunteers represented by this year's exhibiting organizations.

**Battleview Orchards** - Since 1908, Battleview Orchards Farm & Country Store have been owned & operated by the Applegate Family. The farm allows the public the opportunity to pick their own NJ Strawberries, Sour Cherries, NJ Peaches, Nectarines, NJ Apples & Pumpkins. The Country Store is open all year. It features their own Fresh Pressed Cider & famous Apple Cider Donuts, along with quality fresh fruits & vegetables. Battleview Orchards is generously providing morning refreshments for the Fair's exhibitors.  
<http://www.battlevieworchards.com>



**Friends of Monmouth Battlefield** was formed in 1990 & is a 501 (c)(3) not-for-profit organization devoted to preserving, protecting & historically interpreting Monmouth Battlefield & historically related sites. The Friends will be assisting the State with operational issues for the 2015 NJ State History Fair. [www.friendsofmonmouth.org](http://www.friendsofmonmouth.org)



**Monmouth County Park System** - From beaches to playgrounds to historic sites, the Monmouth County Park System has facilities to suit the needs and pleasures of all residents of Monmouth County. The Park System has generously offered to provide a tent for the Fair's programming activities. Additionally, two of their historic sites, Longstreet Farm and Historic Walnford, will be represented at the Fair providing several living history demonstrations and hands-on activities for the public.  
[www.monmouthcountyparks.com](http://www.monmouthcountyparks.com)



**Touching History** is a one man cottage business owned & operated by Mr. Marc Dowdell. His handcrafted pens are a tangible link to America's past. Mr. Dowdell has generously offered to provide prizes for our Exhibitor Extraordinaire Awards Contest as well as hospitality for our exhibitors. [www.TouchingHistoryPensandGifts.com](http://www.TouchingHistoryPensandGifts.com)



**North Jersey Highlands Historical Society** has generously agreed to once again sponsor Mr. Jack Sherry as Benjamin Franklin. The Society (NJHHS), founded in 1958, is dedicated to collecting & communicating the history of the Northeastern Highlands Region from prehistoric Native American to the present. They have a special interest in historic iron-making & the history associated with Ringwood Manor State Park--its industries, events & people.



**Trap Rock Industries LLC** has generously offered to provide seating for visitors to the Fair's Hay Bale Theatres. Trap Rock's demanding quality control systems ensure consistent aggregate sizes from stone screening to riprap. Their asphalt plants produce only NJDOT approved hot mix asphalt.



**The Walt Whitman Association** was originally founded as a group of Whitman friends & supporters during the author's life in Camden. The Association is the oldest existing Whitman society in the world. Its mission is to support the preservation of his home in Camden & to promote the life works and legacy of America's "Great Poet of Democracy". The Association continues its support of the NJ State History Fair by sponsoring Mr. Darrel Blaine Ford as Walt Whitman.



## Food Vendors

(with examples of some food and drink selections from each)

- ♦ **Fork in the Road** - Grilled Cheese Sandwiches: Plain, w/ Pulled Pork, w/ Bacon & Tomato and w/ Buffalo Chicken
- ♦ **Four Boys** - Pulled Pork, Fresh-Squeezed Lemonade, Funnel Cakes, Fried Oreos
- ♦ **J-Dogs** - Corn Dogs, Smoked Turkey Legs, Fried Shrimp, Crab Cakes, Panzarotti, Fresh-Fruit Smoothies, Frozen Coffee
- ♦ **Maglione's Italian Ice** - Italian Ice, Churros, Pizza, Cotton Candy, Popcorn, Good Humor Ice Cream
- ♦ **Mary, the Queen of Pork** - Pulled Chicken, Nachos, Chili
- ♦ **Moms** - Italian Sausage, Greek Pitas, Falafel, Curly Fries
- ♦ **Tasty Kettle Corn & Nuts** - Kettle Corn, Cinnamon-Roasted Nuts
- ♦ **The Empanada Guy** - Empanadas/Cuban Sandwiches, Rice with Beans, Fried Sweet Plantains, Tamales



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